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SYSTEM SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 9, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 1 as follows:

--1. (amended) A system semiconductor device, comprising:

a system LSI cell portion which includes a plurality of functional blocks for realizing specific functions, each of the functional blocks serving as a unit circuit and being arranged on a semiconductor chip; and

a global wiring layer which has a wiring layer on a semiconductor substrate and which is laminated with the system LSI cell portion such that the functional blocks are electrically connected to each other;

wherein:

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